



DIVISION OF ENGINEERING SERVICES

2009 ENGINEERING/ARCHITECTURAL SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

The Division of Engineering Services and the California Transportation Foundation (CTF) will award a **\$1000 Scholarship** to encourage students in pursuit of an engineering or architectural degree in the rapidly changing world of transportation.

All scholarships are competitive and based on the applicant's specific goals and achievements.

CRITERIA FOR SELECTION:

- Candidates must be in their senior year of High School
- Candidates intend to enroll in engineering or architectural curriculum at a California Community College, State College or University
- Must intend a career in transportation
- Candidates must be creative in addressing transportation issues
- Candidates must exhibit community and school involvement
- Work experience and/or volunteer experience is a consideration
- Letters of recommendation are required

Additional applications are available by e-mailing Kathy_S_Stewart@dot.ca.gov or by calling Kathy S. Stewart at Telephone (916) 227-9525

Scholarship applications and attachments must be postmarked by March 27, 2009.

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NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

CITY: _____ CA ZIP CODE _____

HOME PHONE (include area code): _____

SCHOOL CURRENTLY ATTENDING: _____

SCHOOL OFFICE PHONE (include area code): _____

GPA: _____ COLLEGE CHOICE: _____ MAJOR: _____

• **PERSONAL STATEMENT:**

Include college and career plans and how you believe you can make a contribution to Caltrans.

Please type your statement. Do not exceed 100 words.

• **BRIEF ESSAY:**

The Mission of the California Department of Transportation is to improve mobility across California. If you were given the opportunity to provide recommendations to the Department in support of this Mission, describe how you would improve California's current transportation system.

Be creative with your essay; your response should be no more than 500 words, typed. A sketch or drawing no larger than 11" x 17" may be attached with your essay.

• **COMMUNITY AND SCHOOL ACTIVITIES:**

Include school activities (MESA, honor society, debate team, etc.) and other organizations.

• **WORK EXPERIENCE:**

Include paid and volunteer experience.

• **LETTERS OF RECOMMENDATION:**

Include two letters of recommendation from individuals (such as teachers, mentors, etc.) in related fields of study (engineering, architecture, drafting, mathematics, or science).

SIGNATURE: _____ DATE: _____

RETURN THE COMPLETED APPLICATION WITH ATTACHMENTS TO:

DIVISION OF ENGINEERING SERVICES, MS #9 5/2J
P. O. BOX 168041
SACRAMENTO, CA 95816-8041
ATTENTION: Kathy S. Stewart

NOTE: Your application will not be considered if any information is missing. Applications postmarked after March 27, 2009 will not be considered.